IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,) 8:10CR370)
vs.)) ORDER
HUGH BIGFIRE,)
Defendant.)

This matter is before the court on the motion for an extension of time by defendant Hugh Bigfire (Bigfire) (Filing No. 26). Bigfire seeks an extension of time to permit his completion treatment at the Nebraska Urban Indian Intertribal Treatment Center. Bigfire's counsel represents that government's counsel has no objections to the motion. Upon consideration, the motion will be granted.

IT IS ORDERED:

Defendant Bigfire's motion for an extension of time (Filing No. 26) is granted. Bigfire is given until **on or before April 14**, **2011**, in which to file pretrial motions pursuant to the progression order. The ends of justice have been served by granting such motion and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. The additional **time** arising as a result of the granting of the motion, i.e., the time between **February 15**, **2011**, **and April 14**, **2011**, shall be deemed **excludable** time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act for the reason defendant's counsel requires additional time to adequately prepare the case, taking into consideration due diligence of counsel, and the novelty and complexity of this case. The failure to grant additional time might result in a miscarriage of justice. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B).

DATED this 15th day of February, 2011.

BY THE COURT:

s/Thomas D. Thalken United States Magistrate Judge